GUNSHOT WOUND MAY PROVE FATAL

Creed Haskins, of Mecklenburg, Suffers Loss of Limb by Accident.

WOUNDED BY COMPANION

Operation at Memorial Hospital Yesterday May Have Been Too Late.

Creed Haskins, fifteen years old, of almer Springs, Meckienburg county, vas brought to the Memorial Hospital sterday morning where an operajursday afternoon by a companion ille they were rabbit hunting, afteen les from Boydton. Little hope is enrtained for his recovery. He was Haskins, after the accident, was

Iven afteen miles over a country road rallway station, and ought in a day coach to Richmond. ed the chances of saving his life.
Epes and William Peebles, an uncle
the injured youth, accompanied him
Richmond. The wound was inflicted
a shotgim, which, from the nature
the injury, was fired at short range. boys had been hunting together

Meeting at Murphy's Tuesday Night, at Which Governor and Mayor Will Speak.

Citizens of Richmond who appreciate alfred B. Williams, both as an editor and as a part of the community, will seet in the assembly hall of Murphy's lote! Annex Tuesday night at \$ g'clock

Virginians at the Hotels



GOT HER FACE CRACKED

Channel Kept Clear After Hard and Difficult Work by City Tug.

FIRST FREEZE SINCE 1907

Gurl's Neck, keeping the channel clear of lee which up to yesterday froze entirely across the river and threatened at one time to seriously impede navigation. By spending the entire day running back and forth through the thickest of the flow and with the aid of the large boats coming up in the early morning, the tug has been able to keep the channel clear every day. Last night when she anchored at the dock, Captain Cunningham said that unless an unexpected cold spell ocdock, Captain Cunningnam said that unless an unexpected cold spell oc-curred, the river would soon be clear. This is the first time since the win-ter of 1907 that the tug has been re-quired to do work of this kind. Then the ice was not thick and was readily the ice was not thick and was readily broken up. About ten years ago when the river was a mass of ice from the mountains to a point below Curl's Neck, the tug was continually among the curves and narrows below Rich-

COURT TERM CLOSES

away the business of the court for th away the business of the court for the December term. The January grand jury will be drawn to-morrow. Morde-cal Taylor will be tried for wife-mur-der early in the new term. Adon A. Yoder, on appeal from the Police Court, will be tried for criminal libel. There are many cases of minor importance to be heard.

Health Cranks and Food Faddists

Inve Evolved Some Strange and Wonderful Theories Concerning
Stommeh Treatment.

A Trial Package of Stuart's Dyspepsia
Tablets Sent Free.

Within the last 20 years there has sprung into existence theories by the score relative to the kinds of food that human beings should eat, and should avoid. With the tremendous life of this neurotic, neurasthenic age in which we live, wo are consulted in the state of all mental to some food faddist's "new idea" on the subject of all mental to.

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After the Holiday Rush

fact, it is never allowed to run down-therefore, we can supply your wants in the Jewelry line with nice, new, up-to-date Jewelry that Anti-Saloon Officer Explains will please you.

J. S. James,

7th and Main Sts.

Desirable Accounts Solicited.

DENIES CHARGE MADE IN COURT

Smithdeal Writes Mrs. Atkinson That Mrs. Anderson's Statement Is Untrue.

OFFERED NOTHING, HE SAYS

Why Evidence Was Not Challenged at Hearing.

In a letter yesterday to Mrs. A. I. Atkinson, proprietor of the Richmon Hotel, George M. Smithdeal denied it statement made in the Hustings Cour on Friday by Mrs. James W. Anderson under oath, that Mrs. Atkinson had of fered Mr. Smithdeal \$100 for the prohibition fund if Mr. Smithdeal, an officer of the Anti-Saloon League, woul not oppose the granting of a liquol nicense to the Park Hotel.

The testimony which Mrs. Anderso gave was not challenged later in the caring, while Mr. Smithdeal was of the stand, the explanation yesterdabeing that he was not in court at the time, and consequently knew mothin of it until he read the report in The Times-Dispatch. It was not denied that Mrs. Anderson testified as printed although what she stated to be a facthat Mrs. Anderson teathed as plantes, although what she stated to be a fact is vigorously denied by Mr. Smithdeal and Mrs. Akkinson.

Mr. Smithdeal's Letter.

Air. Smithdeal's letter follows:

January 1, 1910.

Mrs. A. D. Atkinson, Hotel Richmond.

City:

Corporation Commissiones Solities of Make Race in Ninth.

According to a statement published in a Bristol page, there is quite a great and life. Alkinson. It was not been a called the state of the sta

"The Builder of Bridges" At the Academy of Music yesterday yo of the biggest audiences of the

Humphreys' Seventy-Seven Famous Remedy for Grip &

Cold as neglect. There is nothing so good for a Cold as "Seventy-seven.

Taken at the first feeling of lassitude and weakness, the Cold disappears at once.

Taken after you begin to Cough and Sneeze, it takes longer to

break up.

Handy to carry, fits the vest pocket. All Druggists, 25c.

One of Most Brutal Crimes in History of Cincinnati.

BYRD NOT SHAKEN

ices No Reason for Changes in Primary Bill-Mr. Ellyson Dissents.

PUBLIC STUDIES PLAN

Subcommittee Will Take Measure and Make Final Report as to Its Value.

Speaker Byrd has heard or seen nothing to convince him that he ought visions of his tentative primary bill, although he is open to suggestion and conviction. Since the original publication of the proposed measure newspapers of the State have taken a at its requirements, while many individuals have spoken or written to the Speaker. For the most part these criticisms are commendatory, although in most cases doubt is expressed as to the wisdom of one or another of the

can get. But Mr. Byrd stands pat.

DYNAMITE PLOT FOILED

Striking Machinists Seek to Destrey Railway Shops.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BALTIMORE, MD., January 1,—William E. Shipley, Hamilton W. Lightner and William P. Zimmerman, all striking machinists, are under arrest at police headquariers on the charge of conspiring to blow up the Mount Clare shops of the Baltimore and Ohlo Railroad Company last night, where 1,000 men were at work, and also the Gay Street Bridge of the railroad company. When Shipley was arrested near Mount Clare shops he had three sticks of dynamite in his possession.

The detectives think that Zimmerman is the man who caused the explosion at the Riverside round house on October 26, in which over 300 windows of the place were shattered. Zimmerman and Shipley are alleged to have confessed.

It was solely because the dynamite was improperly placed and that a local passenger train of the Baltimore and Ohlo Railroad was a few minutes late that the attemnt to blow up the Gay

besides enabling them to be washed on castly.

Being an ointment, poslam soothes and heals at once. It is non-greasy, flesh-colored and cannot be detected. When used for scaly scalp, dandrun, hives, blotches, tetter, etc., it drives away the soreness and cures in 48 hours. Itching is stopped immediately. Poslam is on sale for 50 cents at Tragle's and all reliable drug stores. But a supply sufficient to relieve the minor troubles mentioned, and to clear the complexion and rid the face of pimples in 24 hours, will be sent by mail, free of charge, to any one who will write to the Emergency Laboratorist. Thomas Cunningham, Sr., has been busy in the narrows between here and City.

FIRST FREEZE SINCE 1907

Stream Frozen From Bank to Bank Until Warmer Weather Caused Drift.

Since the first bitter cold days shorting to the first bitter cold days shorting to the complexion of the complexion of the first bitter cold days shorting to the complexion of the first bitter cold days shorting to the first bitter cold days shorting to

Democratic Executive Body Will Hold Meeting This Week.

Democratic Committee will be called the old committee expired Friday re-elected in the primary held on

d and will continue as members-hairman Miles M. Martin, Secretary W. D. Duke and Treasurer Barne Chairman Martin has not decided

Chairman Martin has not decided upon the day for the meeting, but it will be held within a week, be held within a week.

Members of Committee.

The new City Committee, as it now stands, is as follows:
Clay Ward—H. Wilson Stone, E. W. Gardner, W. B. Jennings, Horace B. Burnett, A. W. Browning.

Madison Ward—Oscar E. Lohman, Jesse A. Ladd, Harvey E. Atkinson, Barney Bowman, R. J. Lanaham.

Marshall Ward—Henry P. Garber, E. W. Evans, R. S. Goode, R. S. Tiller, John B. Weish.

Jefferson Ward-C. A. Weston, E. C. Hicks, James M. N. Allen, E. J. Fagan, Henry Ward-M. M. Martin, W. G. Henry Ward—M. H. Slattin, W. W. Duko, Sam Steiner.
Lee Ward—William M. Myers, J. W. ercival, Witt E. Taylor, Gus Bernier, tharles V. Carrington.
Mouroe Ward—R. R. Florence, W. A.

Graves, Hiram M. Smith, Brank Fer-nandini, George M. Cease. THIEVES WORK MARKET

Hnms, Turkeys and Eggs Disappear When Stall-Owners Were Busy. Thieves were active in the First Marifyl last night. Reports at the First Police Station were that thirty and hams are said to have disappeared. In one came, a thef get away with a bushel of frish potatoes. The proprietors of the stands declare that an organized band must have been at work, and it is said that one person would be sent to make a purchase while accomplices pilfered the edibles. The police were notified too late to be of much assistance, as when they appeared on the scene, there were fow persons left about the market place.

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We still have a full stock-in

Jeweler and Optician,

JUDGE RHEA MAY

GAVE HIM CLOCK

Piano Employes Present Testimonial to Mr. Slaughter.

Employes of the local branch of Charles M. Steiff's plano manufactory were tendered a delightful dinner at the Jefferson last night by the firm, and L. B. Slaughter, the Richmond manager. Scated at the table were L. B. Slaughter, I. L. Davis, T. S. Hitchaw, Philip Gebb, R. C. Cridin, J. N.